

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
Case No.: 1:15-CV-439**

LEGALZOOM.COM, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

NORTH CAROLINA STATE BAR;
RONALD L. GIBSON, in his official
capacity only; JOSHUA T. WALTHALL in
his official and individual capacities;
FERN GUNN SIMEON in her official and
individual capacities; and JOHN N.
FOUNTAIN, in his official and individual
capacities,

Defendants.

**AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE OF
PROCESS**

This is to certify that the parties have stipulated that service of process is deemed to have been proper upon Defendants North Carolina State Bar, Ronald L. Gibson, Joshua T. Walthall, Fern Gunn Simeon, and John N. Fountain, pursuant to Rules 3 and 4 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. Regardless of any actual service dates upon the various defendants, service of process is deemed to have occurred on June 30, 2015, as to all Defendants. Accordingly, it is stipulated that the 21-day period provided in Rule 12 to answer or otherwise respond commences for all Defendants on June 30, 2015 and, absent extension or other modification, continues through July 21, 2015. It is further stipulated that the undersigned Counsel for Defendants has the requisite ability and authority to

accept service on behalf of the Defendants, and each Defendant waives any further requirement for service of process or challenge to service of process in this proceeding. Any and all remaining defenses are preserved in this action for further pleading and adjudication as may be deemed appropriate.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing *Acceptance of Service of Process* was filed with the clerk of court for the Middle District of North Carolina using the electronic filing system of the court, and sent via United States mail to.

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